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Mrs. Jocelyn Boyd, Esquire  
 Chief Clerk & Administrator  
 SC Public Service Commission  
 101 Executive Center Drive  
 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Ref: Docket No. 2008-159-S

Dear Mrs. Boyd:

On behalf of the Northwood Estates Neighborhood Association I, Senator John Matthews Jr., respectfully requests that the Public Service Commission of South Carolina carry over the above-referenced matter. Per my conversation with the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff(ORS) there is no objection to this request. We are asking you to please delay the contract between Midlands Utility and Orangeburg Department of Public Utility (DPU).

At this time Northwood Estates Neighborhood Association and I are trying to work with Midland Utility and DPU to rectify issues pertaining to the sewer system/services. They continue to receive astronomical increases in their bill to the point creating an on-going financial burden.

We appreciate your consideration and cooperation in this matter and would like to discuss our concerns further with the commission.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

John W. Matthews